

I claim:

1. An electrically powered seating unit having a plurality of independently moveable seats, said seating unit comprising:

a stationary base adapted to retain and support a plurality of seats;

5 a first seat and a second seat retained and supported by said base, wherein each of said seats is independently moveable with respect to the other seat;

a first electrically powered drive system coupled to said base and said first seat whereupon activation of said first drive system, said first seat moves;

10 a second electrically powered drive system coupled to said base and said second seat whereupon actuation of said second drive system, said second seat moves;

15 a remote control unit including provisions to activate at least one of said first drive system and said second drive system, and thereby effect movement of at least one of said first seat and said second seat.